

GLASGOW WEEKLY TIMES.

THE TIMES.

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—TERMS—

ONE DOLLAR, IN ADVANCE.

GLASGOW, MO.,

THURSDAY, MAR 8, 1860.

Look for the X.

A cross (thus X) immediately before the name, signifies that the time paid for has expired.

The river is in good condition, and rising.

SUICIDE.—Mr. Joseph Sallee, an old and esteemed citizen of Callaway county, committed suicide, a short time since. He gave no reason for the act, further than that live was brethren to him.

The Jefferson Conventions.

On the opposite page will be found the proceedings of the recent political Conventions, held in Jefferson City. We will refer to them hereafter.

The National Convention of the Republican party will be held at Chicago on the 13th of June. The Democratic Convention will be held at Charleston on the 23d of April.

WESTERN BANK FULTON.—The requisite amount of stock necessary to organize a Branch of the Western Branch at Fulton, has been subscribed, and Directors were to be chosen last Monday. The Branch will go into operation without delay.

FIRE IN WAVERLY.—The store houses of Mr. H. J. Grahame and John T. Mason, at Waverly, were destroyed by fire on the morning of the 1st. The contents of the buildings were almost totally lost. It is supposed the houses were set on fire. The goods in both houses were mainly covered by insurance.

The Weston Argus has Dickinson's name up for President, and says, among other things, "His whole life is consistent with his profession."

We refer our respected cotemporary to Mr. D.'s professions in another column, and suggest that such professions would be better observed in the breach, than otherwise.

CHILDREN'S TOYS.—Now that the fine spring weather is coming, get something to please the children. Chamberlain has an inexhaustible supply of Toys, and a few dimes judiciously expended will make Young America inexpressibly happy. Then, he has other articles, such as Watches, Jewelry, &c., to please all classes.

THE REVIVAL.—The meeting at the Presbyterian Church closed on Sunday night. During the meeting, over a hundred persons professed, fifty-six of whom attached themselves to that church, some to the other Churches in the place, while some have joined none as yet.

An irregular protracted meeting has been in progress at the Methodist Church, for two months past, and is still progressing, large crowds of people giving daily and nightly attendance. Forty-seven additions have been made to the Church.

The Legislature.—The Roads.

The Legislature is at work on the Rail Road Question, in earnest, and will probably dispose of it this week. Indications are, that aid will be granted to the trunk roads, and to them only. In the House on Tuesday, several amendments granting aid to the Platte County Road, were voted down by decided majority, and it is thought by decided majority, and it is thought by the bill reported by the select committee will pass. The Senate will no doubt agree to any tolerably fair bill that may pass the House. The Rail Road Question once disposed of and an early adjournment will follow.

THE NEW SPEAKER.—Christian Kribben, of St. Louis, the gentleman who was nominated in caucus, and elected Speaker by the democrats, is an anti-Rail Road and anti-Sunday man in principle. His German Philosophy opposes the Christian Sabbath, and he zealously, if not ably defended his views at the last session of the Legislature. Letcher, of Saline, and Drake, of St. Louis, made the leading speeches against the desecration of the Sabbath, as many of our readers will recollect. Kribben was nominated and elected by the democrats, because it was thought in thus honoring him, he would bring strength to their party in St. Louis.

NEW GROCERIES.—By reference to our advertising columns, it will be seen Mr. C. H. Lewis is in receipt of his spring stock of Groceries, Iron, Salt, Nails, and a thousand and one fancy and useful articles. Our house-hold had a very pleasant notification of the arrival of his new goods, in the shape of a basket full of condiments, edibles, fruits, &c., which kept old and young in good humor for several days. Mr. Lewis has but recently returned from St. Louis, and his ample store rooms are now filled from floor to ceiling, with an entire new stock of Groceries, &c., which he assures the public, in his advertisement, will be "sold right"—and those who know him, know for him to say, is to do. Give him a call, and examine his stock and prices. Dealers from a distance, who desire to lay in yearly supplies, will find everything to fill their orders.

Dickinson on Slavery.

The democratic party profess to be specially sound, on the slavery question. The democracy of Howard stand one step in advance of the party, professing extra soundness. They were the first to throw off Benton—they scorn abolitionism in Douglas—Republicanism in Bates—but go their length for Dickinson of New York. Their organ has long had his name at its mast-head for President; and he was declared their first choice in a recent mass meeting. We have been soliciting his views on the subject of slavery, from them, but not one of them opened their mouth. As their organ will not, or has not responded, and as our democratic friends, the masses, have been committed to Dickinson, we purpose to give some of his views. Unlike the democratic party of Missouri, (vide Patterson,) he has a record, and such a record! In the Congressional Globe, 1847, on page 533-4, Mr. Dickinson spoke in the United States Senate as follows:—

I would not have added one single word upon the subject of slavery, but it is due to the occasion that my views upon it should be fully understood. So far as I am advised or believe, the great mass of the people of the North entertain but one opinion upon the subject, and that is the same which is entertained by many of the South. THEY REGARD THE INSTITUTION AS A GREAT MORAL AND POLITICAL EVIL AND WOULD THAT IT HAD NO EXISTENCE. They are not unaware of the difficulties which beset it, and do not intend to provoke sectional jealousy and hatred by ill-timed and misplaced discussions. They will not listen to the cry of the fanatic, or favor the designs of the political schemers from the North or the South, nor will they ever disturb or trench upon the compromises of the Constitution. They believe the institution to be local and domestic—to be established or abolished by the States themselves, and alone subject to their control. But being thus the institution of a local sovereignty, and a franchise peculiar to them, they deny that such sovereignty or its people can justly claim the right to regard it as a territory, and to exert, in the territories of the United States, without the authority of Congress, and they BELIEVE THAT CONGRESS MAY PROHIBIT ITS INTRODUCTION INTO THE TERRITORIES WHILE THEY REMAIN SUCH. And further, that its prohibition in the Territories will, by giving them a free population as they become States, tend to form a more perfect Union, establish justice, ensure domestic tranquility, provide for the common defense, promote the general welfare, and secure the blessings of liberty to ourselves and our prosperity." They have never resisted the admission of a Slave State because it was so inhabited; and holding the numerical power in both Houses of Congress, the slave states have increased nearly three-fold. But, believing that it is for the general welfare, for the benefit of all the States, and not for any part of them, THAT FREE TERRITORY SHOULD REMAIN SO; and that it is the legitimate subject of legislation, they desire without intending to disturb existing rights, at all proper times, to discuss, in that spirit becoming brethren of common household, the influences its extension is calculated to exert upon the human race and the destinies of the country. And they doubt not that if, upon the whole, it shall appear that the heaven-born principles for which this Union was formed will be best promoted by such prohibition, that those who believe their pecuniary interests or political relations will be thereby prejudiced will YIELD, in a becoming spirit, interest so comparatively trivial, to "promote the general welfare." Slavery, sir, is silently and slowly rolling its DAKK WAVE toward a stupendous sun, and God grant that, in His own good time, its subjects may find there high institutions as well as congenital crime.

This substitute received but five votes in the Caucus, when Senator B. gave notice he should again move it as a substitute when the resolutions should be offered in the Senate, which it is understood Senator Davis will do.

The other resolutions were of that general character to which any Democrat could subscribe. One I have given you is the one which was aimed to cover the point in dispute. The Caucus was full, and several having expressed objection to the resolution, Senator Brown argued that it was an attempt to play upon the supposed ignorance of the nation. The contingencies provided for had already happened, and this fact every Senator knew perfectly well.

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NEW PLANK IN THE PLATFORM.

Resolved, That whenever experience shall have shown that the Executive and Judicial branches of the Government have not sufficient power to insure adequate protection to slave property in the Territories, and when the Territorial Legislatures shall have failed or refused to pass such as are necessary for that purpose, it will then become the duty of Congress to interpose and pass such laws as will afford the necessary protection.

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THE CELEBRATED IRON DUKE.

WILL make the present season complete, at his stables, 2 miles south of Cambridge, Lincoln county, under the superintendence of Mr. Joe Smith. Terms, the same as heretofore—\$20 insurance payable when the fact is ascertained, or the mare partied with. Good pasture afforded for more than a distance and all care taken, but no responsibility for accidents.

PEDIGREE, &c.

"IRON DUKE" was bred by the celebrated horse—Hooton—who was imported to this country in 1820. Hooton was bred by Mr. Starley, of Shropshire, England. English has a claim as a sire, as he is a strong, hardy, and bold horse, perfect symmetry and fine points, he is acknowledged by the best judges to have no superior now in existence.

Hooton was bred by "Despot," out of a Canadian mare; her dam, "Melrose," by Phœbe, Whiskeray Orville, "Despot" was by "Sultana," out of Fanny Davies, by Fido de la Peña; her dam, "Pressure," by Camilla, "Sultana" was the mare of the Rev. Mr. Monckton, he of the "Flying Dutchman," the winner of the Derby and Ledger in 1821.

"Iron Duke's" dam has a claim of imported German, imported Comet, imported Dragon and Diamond; she was sired by Fido, and Prince of Borbone's Whistlebone, and by Mr. Cheshire.

She was a mare out of that celebrated mare Fido, brought from Virginia by Hugh Reservoir, and was considered one of the best bred mares of that district.

It is well known that "Cheshire" was bred by Sir Archibald's son, Young Roxana, by "Henderson," half brother to Sir Archibald, out of the same dam; his dam Roxana, by the imported horse Staripot, out of one of Gen. McPherson's best mares.

It will give the \$25 premium cup to the owner of the best horse colt of Iron Duke's get this season, and a \$15 premium cup to the owner of the best mare colt, to be determined by competition and decided judgment in the Fall of 1861, at the fair date.

The "DUKE" is a beautiful dappled iron-gray, 16 hands 1-1/2 inches high, just in the prime of life, 10 years old 9th May, and is in most excellent condition.

We are authorized to announce John L. Monckton a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Howard county, at the ensuing August election.

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